

# MODOC NATIONAL FOREST

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## Recreation Report

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**WEATHER:** The forecast shows a winter storm for the Sierra with the potential for the first significant precipitation across northern California in almost two months. Please call one of our offices for current conditions before traveling to the forest.

**WOODCUTTING:** A reminder that fuelwood permits expire February 28, 2014. All areas are open for wood cutting, except for active Timber sales, Research Areas and the South Warner Wilderness. For further information, check the woodcutting recording at 233-8819.

**TRAVEL ADVISORY:** Be advised that logging operations continue on the Barry Point Fire, approximately 31 miles north of Alturas. Please watch for signs and drive with caution at all times.

**PRESCRIBED BURNING:** Modoc National Forest fire managers may continue prescribed burning projects in various areas of the forest through the winter, pending favorable conditions, resource availability and air quality approval.

**MEDICINE LAKE:** Medicine Lake is frozen. All campgrounds are closed but accessible due to the lack of snow so far this year. The water to these campgrounds has been turned off for the winter and all trash must be packed out by campers.


**SOUTH WARNER WILDERNESS:** All trails in the South Warner Wilderness may be snow covered. Trails at lower elevation, such as Parker Creek and Cedar Creek Trails are accessible. Please be aware of downed trees and use caution.


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Campground by Area	Fee	Spaces	Drinking Water	Toilet	Access	Fishing	Boating	Hiking	Horses	Open/Close
<b>Medicine Lake Area</b>										
A.H. Hogue	Free	24	No	Yes 	Paved	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Headquarters	Free	16	No	Yes	Paved	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Hemlock	Free	22	No	Yes 	Paved	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Medicine	Free	22	No	Yes 	Paved	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
<b>Medicine Lake Highlands</b>										
Blanche Lake	Free	5	No	No	Dirt	No	No	Yes	No	Closed
Bullseye Lake	Free	10	No	Yes	Dirt	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Payne Springs	Free	6	No	Yes	Gravel	No	No	Yes	No	Closed
<b>South Warner Mtn. Area</b>										
Blue Lake	Free	48	No	Yes* 	Paved	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Patterson	Free	15	No	Yes	Gravel	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Closed
Emerson	Free	4	No	Yes * 	Rough Dirt	Yes	No	Yes	No	Closed
Pepperdine	Free	5	No	Yes* 	Gravel	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Closed
Mill Creek Falls	Free	19	No	Yes* 	Paved	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Soup Springs	Free	8	No	Yes* 	Gravel	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Closed
East Creek	Free	10	No	Yes	Gravel	No	No	Yes	Yes	Closed
<b>North Warner Mtn.</b>										
Cave Lake	Free	6	No	Yes* 	Rough Dirt	Yes	Yes	No	No	Closed
Stough Reservoir	Free	14	No	Yes* 	Gravel	Yes	No	Yes	No	Closed
Lassen Creek	Free	DD	No	Yes	Gravel	Yes	No	Yes	No	Closed
<b>Devil's Garden Area</b>										
Big Sage	Free	6	No	Yes * 	Gravel	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Closed
Howard's Gulch		11	No	Yes* 	Paved	No	No	Yes	No	Closed
Jane's Reservoir	Free	DD	No	Yes * 	Gravel	Yes	Yes	No	No	Closed
Reservoir C	Free	6	No	Yes	Gravel	Yes	Yes	No	No	Closed
Reservoir F	Free	5	No	Yes * 	Gravel	Yes	Yes	No	No	Closed
<b>Big Valley Area</b>										
Ash Creek	Free	7	No	Yes	Gravel	Yes	No	No	No	Closed

Lower Rush Creek	Free	10	No	Yes	Gravel	No	No	No	No	Closed
Upper Rush Creek	Free	13	No	Yes	Gravel	Yes	No	No	No	Closed
Willow Creek	Free	8	No	Yes	Paved	No	No	No	No	Closed
Willow Creek Day Use	Free	DD	No	Yes 	Loose Dirt	No	No	No	No	Closed

**\*Accessible with assistance**  
**DD: Dispersed Development**

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